RESOLUTION NO. 2016-02

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF GRIFFITH, INDIANA PARK AND RECREATION BOARD TO ENTER INTO AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT FOR THE PURCHASE AND UTILIZATION OF CONSTRUCTION SERVICES FOR THE MUTUAL BENEFIT OF THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS PARTICIPATING IN A FEDERAL AID BICYCLE PROGRAM

WHEREAS, Indiana Code 36-1-7-1 et seq., allows local government entities to make the most efficient use of their powers by enabling them to mutually purchase and utilize equipment, supplies, and services for the mutual benefit of each other; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Griffith, by its Park and Recreation Board; the City of Crown Point, by its Park Authority; the Town of Chesterton, by its Park and Recreation Board; the Town of Highland, through its Park and Recreation Department; the City of Hammond, by its Board of Park Commissioners; the Town of Merrillville, by its Park Authority; North Township, by its Township Board; the Town of Porter, by its Park Authority; the City of Portage, by its Park and Recreation Board; the Town of Schererville, through its Department of Park and Recreation; Lake County, through its Park and Recreation Department; and the Northwest Indiana Regional Planning Commission (NIRPC), all as participating entities, now desire to enter into an Interlocal Cooperation Agreement constructed pursuant to I.C. 36-1-7-1, et seq., to provide for the ability to provide construction services for the mutual benefit of the participating entities, and as a shared cost, for the fabrication and installation of uniform wayfinding signage along existing bicycle and walking trails. A copy of the Interlocal Cooperation Agreement is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the Park and Recreation Board of the Town of Griffith, Lake County, Indiana, as follows:

The President of the Park and Recreation Board of the Town of Griffith is hereby authorized and directed to enter into an Interlocal Cooperation Agreement with the aforesaid political subdivisions for the purpose of fabrication and installation of uniform wayfinding signage along existing bicycle and walking trails.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Park and Recreation Board of the Town of Griffith, Lake County, Indiana, on this 11th day of January, 2016.

BOARD MEMBERS OF THE PARK AND RECREATION BOARD OF THE TOWN OF GRIFFITH, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA

PRESIDENT

MEMBER

MEMBER

SCHOOL BOARD EX-OFFICIO MEMBER

ATTEST:

SECRETARY